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Windsor, October 30.

THE humble Address of the Governor, Lieutenant-Governor, Gentlemen, Clergy, and the Corporations of *Newport*, *Newtown*, and *Yarmouth* in the *Isle of Wight*; was presented to her Majesty by his Grace the Duke of *Bolton*.

Which Address her Majesty received very graciously.

Vienna, October 23. *N. S.* On the 18th Instant Monsieur Albani arrived here; after some stay in this Court he designs to proceed towards Hungary, and from thence continue his Journey to Poland. General Zumjungen is returned to Piedmont with the Repartition of the Winter Quarters for the Imperial Troops in Italy. Baron Heems is dispatched again to the Hague, with new Instructions from his Imperial Majesty, to act in conjunction with the rest of the Allies, on the present posture of Affairs. We hear from Constantinople, that the Ottoman Port appears inclined to espouse the Interests of the King of Sweden, in opposition to his Czarish Majesty. The Emperor hath given Orders, that all the Advices this Court hath received relating to the Health and Affairs of the King of Sweden, be communicated to his Majesty's Minister residing here, that he may transmit that Intelligence to the Senate at Stockholm. We have received Advices from Hungary of several Successes over the Malecontents of that Kingdom; that General Croix had taken a Convoy of three hundred Waggons which was designed for Neuhausel; that Colonel Schillingh had surprized Count Esterhasi, and dispersed the Body of Dragoons under his Command; and that General Heister was marching his Army towards Espiers, but it was supposed would soon be obliged to retire into Winter Quarters. The last Letters from Italy say, that they expect the Neighbourhood of the Imperial Troops will encline the Court of Rome speedily to acknowledge King Charles, and accommodate all other Differences which are depending between that Court and the House of Austria; and, we hear, that Monsieur Albani hath Instructions to determine these Affairs, to prevent the Troops of his Imperial Majesty from marching into the Ecclesiastical State.

Venice, October 25. *N. S.* Last Week Monsieur Cornaro gave in to the College an Account of his Embassy to Great Britain. We have received repeated Advices from Rome, that the Pope held a Consistory on the 14th Instant, and therein publickly declared Charles the Third, Catholick King of Spain, and the Pope is hereafter to have the Nomination of Bishops to such Sees as are in those Dominions, whereof King Charles hath the possession. Immediately after this Declaration of his Holiness, the Prince Colonna, and others that possess Estates in the Dominions of the King of Spain, erected his Arms over the Gates of their Palaces, and his Catholick Majesty's Picture is to be hung up in the National Churches on Festival Days, according to the usual practice of the Country. They who are in the Interests of the Crown of France, and of the Duke of Anjou, seem very much displeased at these Proceedings; but none have dared to make any open Declarations against them, since the late Censures which have been passed against Monsieur Molines. That Prelate hath excused his late Behaviour, by declaring that what he did was by positive Instructions from the Court of Madrid; and that the Command laid on the Spaniards not to apply to the Court of Rome for any Benefices, Bulls or Certificates, was to have lasted only till an Accommodation should be agreed on between those two Courts.

Berlin, November 2. *N. S.* By Advices from the Court at Merienwerder of the 26th of the last Month, we hear that the King arrived there on the 25th, and the Day after his Arrival he went to meet the Czar as far as the Vistula; that these two Princes having made the usual Compliments, went together into his Prussian Majesty's Coach, being accompanied by Monsieur Keyserling, his Majesty's Envoy to the Czar. It is believed that their Majesties will not stay above three or four Days at Marienwerder, the Czar being desirous to join his Troops which are before Riga, which according to the Account we have of them, consist of one hundred and twenty thousand Men. The King is also shortly expected here, for it is not probable, that he will stay long in a Place so near the Infection of a Pestilence. Many of his Majesty's Retinue having met upon the Road several Vagabonds which had been driven from the Places of their Abode, on Suspicion of being infected, will be obliged at their return to perform their Quarantain at some distance from this City. It being reported, that the Plague was broken out at Brandenburg, Commissaries have been immediately sent thither, to examine of what nature the Diseases were which reigned there, but after a strict examination it was found that the Distempers were not Pestilential.

Copenhagen, November 2. *N. S.* Admiral Guildenlieu, who Commands the Squadron in the intended Expedition, hath hoisted his Flag on Board the Danebrog. The Troops are to begin to Embark on the 4th Instant, and the Fleet will be under sail for Schonen within this Week, if the Wind, which at present is contrary, prove favourable, but the Artillery which is to be employ'd in this Enterprize is not yet arrived.

Brussels, November 7. *N. S.* On the 5th Instant Prince Eugene, and the Deputies of their High Mightinesses set out for the Hague; and yesterday Lieutenant-General Cadogan set out for the same Place. The Enemies are now entirely separated, and are marching into Winter Quarters; but the Mareschals of Boufflers and Berwick are still on the Frontiers; it is said the former is to reside at Valenciennes, and the latter at Maubeuge, during the Winter. The Mareschal de Villars was to begin his Journey to Paris on the 2d of this Month, and the Elector of Bavaria was expected at Valenciennes the same Day.

Hague, November 5. *N. S.* Both Armies are marching to their Winter Quarters, and all things are in Tranquility on the Frontiers. A Squadron of the Guards of the Prince of Friese, consisting of eighty Horse, fell into an Ambuscade of the Enemy near Malines, and were entirely defeated, with the Loss of their Baggage, Drums and Standard; but the Cornet and thirty Men retired to Malines. The Duke of Marlborough arrived here on the 3d Instant from Brussels. We hear, that his Grace designs to embark for Great Britain on Sunday the 10th Instant, if the Wind be favourable; the Convoy and Yatchs being safely arrived in the Meuse. Mr. Robinson, her Britannick Majesty's Envoy to the King of Sweden, came over with the said Convoy, and is at present in this Place. Prince Eugene is expected here to Morrow; we hear, that after a short stay, he will set out for Vienna. The Prince Hereditary of Hesse Cassel is also arrived here, with several other General Officers. Monsieur Foscarini, Ambassador and Plenipotentiary from the Republick of Venice to the States General, hath delivered in his Credentials, and this Day he signified his Arrival to the Publick Ministers. Monsieur van Stocken, the King of Denmark's Minister residing here, departed this Life on the 3d Instant. Monsieur Rosenkrants designs to embark with the Duke of Marlborough for England. The States have appointed the 13th of this Month to be observed as a Day of Publick Fasting and Prayers. The second Lottery of two Millions of Florins has not filled as the former did; and it is reported, that if it be not full before the